

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Richard L. Davis  
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Group Art Unit: 3693  
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Examiner: Sara M. Chandler  
Title: Web-Based Method and Implementation for Procurement  
Goods and Services

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION AND AMENDMENT**

In response to the Decision on Appeal electronically sent on August 7, 2009, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments set forth below and request favorable action thereon.

**Amendments to Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page \_\_\_\_ of this paper.